FINANCE AND COMMERCE

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS OF

Offerings and Sales at the Richmond Tobacco Exchange-Infernal Revenue Collections Foreign Advices.

was so prominent vesterday, continued this morning with unahated vigor. The calling in of loans by the banks on these collaterals, and the continued stringency of the money market, was the main feature of the market of the stocks. Some large blocks were thrown on the market at the opening, and the unloading continuity and some of these shares yielded readily.

In the first half hour the decide ranged into the first half hour the decide ranged into the first half hour the decide ranged into the first half hour to the mext half hour to the occording and prices railied fractionally; but in the hour to noon the selling was renewed, and prices again fell off. The lowest figures of the morning the first state of the morning was renewed, and prices again fell off. The lowest figures of the morning was renewed and prices against prices were renerally current at noon. Futures steady: sales, 114,400 bales: Decided readily. ting were generally current at noon.
The stringency of money continued during the entire afternoon, and at on-

EMOUNTED TO MAN,	TOTAL ST	100000	
	Bitt.	1	Bea
Adems Ex	150	Northwestern	111
A man Winds	116	do bret	1415
Alton & T. H.	11254	Nash. & C	900
do pref	350	N. & W. pref	2775
Alabama-Class A	102	N. C. 4's	496
Alabama B	205	do.68	100
Alabama C.	900	O. & Miss	901
Am Sugar Ref	10034	Oregon Nav	72
E. & C	94	Ohio Central	455
Brunswick Co	-	Omaha	475
C. C. C. A. In	5814	do prof	118
Con Pacific	671	Oregon Im., A	102
Can Southern	56	Peoria, D. & E	108
Can. Pacitic	89	Pacific Mail	250.7
Chi. & Alton	240	Quicksliver	21%
C. & O	100	do.pref	17
Chi. Bur & Q	977	Reading Rock Island	\$85
Cotton oil	4012	Rock Island	829
do pref	7916	BAW. P.	79
Del & Hudson	1300	Silver Cer	833
D. L. & Warmer	14994	St. Fanl.	-75
Denver	2516	do, pref	12)
E710	2316	S. C. Browns	165
da pref	53	Texas Pacific	03
E. Fred	836	Tenn. olds	620
F. T. pref.	25	Tenn. new set 6's.	201
Till Flanksen	1076	do. Na	101
E & James	11116	do. 5's	7755
LAKE DUNCESTAR	170016	Tenn Coal & Iron	30%
LEAW	2/14	do pref	200
do preferences	74	U. S. Linney	115
Louisiana con.	9734	Union Pacific	993
Mich. Central	105	Va. 6.6	20
Missouri Pacific.	0616	do. ex. mai. cou	115
Manitoha	11116	Va. consols	504
A Downwares	24	W. U. Telegraph	953
MAC	50	Wells Fargo	145
N. Y. Central	1094	Wabash	10%
N.J. Central	125	do.pref	2339
N. C. Pacific	1676		

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET. [Reported by Messra John L. Williams & Fons, Pankers, corner Tenth and Main streets.]

RICHMOND, VA., DEC. 16, 1892.

SOVERNMENT SECURITIES.		
U. S. 4's. B. & C., 1907	113	
STATE SECURITIES.		
North Carolina 4's, C., 1910	432 795	1145
able	20	80
Virginia consors ten formes, non-	25	30

CITY SECURITIES. Richmond City 8's, R., 1904-1910.... 133 Richmond City 6's, R., 1904-1910.... 115 Richmond City 8's, R., 1890-1896... 101 Richmond City 8's, R., 1891 and later. 110 HAILROAD BONDS.

RATLEGAD STOCKS. Atlanta and Charlotte-----. BANE STOCKS.

Merchants & Planters' Savings ... 21 25 National Bank of Virginia 118 ... Bafe Dept. and Fidelity Co. of Va. Par value 500. Capital \$500.000 ... 11014 ... MISCELLANKOUS.

American Tobacco Company pref. 19314 113 American Tobacco Company com. 60 TOBACCO EXCHANGE.

RICHMOND, VA., Dec. 16, 1992. No offerings of tobacces at auction on

2; lugs (dark), 15. Total, 153 hogsheads.
The tohacco inspector reports to-day: Inspections—Bright, 20 hogsheads; dark, 42 hogsheads, Reinspections—Bright, 72 hogsheads and 1 tierce.

Farmers', Scabrock's, Virginia, [Alleghan, Shelburne's, Neal's, Davenport's and Planters' tohance warehouses report today: Receipts, 28 United States internal revenue collections for the city of Richmond, Va., to-day: Cigars and cigarettes, \$5,048.50; plug to-bacoos, \$3,001.17. Total, \$7,648.50;

A pretty fair sale at Shelleurne's to-day.

A big sale of fine tobacces at excellent prices, a number of lots selling at \$50.00. at the Planters' to-day. A big break for

Shockoe sold 59,700 pounds loose dark tobaccos to-day; highest price, \$8.50. Crenshaw's sold 69.940 pounds loose dark

tobaccos; highest price, \$9.50. Sales of loose tobaccos on the Richmond breaks for the week ending to-day; 405.910

pounds; highest price for dark tobaccos, \$10.25; for bright tobaccos, \$60.00. Colonel S. W. Venable, of Petersburg, was in Richmond to-day.

GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE. RICHMOND, VA., Dec. 16, 1992. Offerings-Wheat, 272 bushels; corn, 762

Sales-Wheat, \$2 bushels; corn, 576

Quotations-Wheat-Longberry, 74c, to The imixed, 720. to 77c.; shortberry, 7cc. to 77c.; No. 2 red, 76c. to 77c. Corn—Watte, Virginia, new (bag lota), 49c.; No. 2 white, 49c.; No. 2 mixed, 47c. to 48c. Winter oats (for seed), 38c. to 42c.; No. 2 mixed, 57c. to 48c. The first of the first 88c. Rye, 58c. to 62c.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Special.—Henry Clews & Co.'s daily circular says: Futures here opened steady on a slight improvement in Liverpool cables. The main feature of the day was the an-Coursement of Bradatreet's estimate, in-Course a yield of about 6,400,000, which bales; sales, 110 bales. perpaponds with current estimates, Con- GALVESTON, Dec. 16.-Weekly and sto

siderable short cotton was covered in anticipation of this report, and the longs were prepared to realize on any further advance, but the market declined for lack of new support, closing about four points lower than last night's prices. The strinent money market is unfavorable to the otton trade, inasmuch as it renders it difficult to carry spot cotton. Receipta for the past week show a decided falling off, and the probabilities are that the movement will continue proportionately small, which will prove an important

factor in sustaining prices. NEW YORK, Pec. 16.—Money leaned gringent again to-day, rates for eall leans ranging from 6 to 25 per cent. The highest rate was 25, lowest 6, and at the close leans were freely effered at 6 per cent. Exchange closed steady; poated rates, 4863488 1-2; actual rates, 48634814 for sixty days, and 688 for demand. Governments steady; currency 68, 105 bid; extended 28 registered, 100 bid; 48 coupon, 114 1-4 bid.

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The stock reaction actual rates for call leans the closed steady at 4636 peints decline for the day on free offerings since 2 P. M. The market was very unsettled and controlled entirely by local speculation. Spot lots closed steady; middling, 954; low middling, 974; low middling, 974; low middling, 974; low middling, 975; l all spinners. Futures closed steady; sales, 327,300 bales; December. 9.6169.62; January. 9.6869.62; February. 9.7069.80; March, 9.0000.01; April 10.006.10.1; May. 10.00 6210.10; June. 10.176/10.18; July. 10.2463 10.25; August. 10.226/10.30.

Cron sinterpart from Sentember 1st to

Crop statement from September 1st to Crop statement from september 18, to December 16th, inclusive: Port receipts, 5,192,229 bales, against 4,223,151 bales last year and 3,835,031 bales year before/last; overland to mills and Canada, 484,832 overland to mills and Canada, 484,832 bales, against 693,192 bales last year; in-terior stocks in excess of September 18t, overland to mills and Canada, 484,832 overland to mills and Canada, 48

> Futures steady; sales, 214,400 bales; December-January, 0.63; February, 9.70; March, 9.77; April, 9.85; May, 9.92; June, 9.96; July, 10.66.

receipts at all United States ports same week last year, 270,607 bales. Total receipts to this date, 3,180,901 bales; total receipts to same date last year, 4,210,510 bales. Exports for the week, 134,323 bales; 29.550 major. Total exports to this date. 2.055,284 hales; total exports to the same data hast year, 2.071,905 bales. Stock at all United States ports, 1,002,557 bales stock at all United States ports same time hist year, 1,224,100 bales. Stock at all interior towns, 212,161 bales; stock at all faterior towns, 212,161 bales; stock at all

bales, Stock at Liverpool, 1,400,600 bales; stock at Liverpool same time last year, 1,107,000 bales. Stock of American affort for Great Britain, 210,000 bales; stock of American affort for Great Britain, 210,000 bales; stock of American affort for Great Britain same time last year, 320,000 bales.

Weekly cotton receipts:
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Weekly net receipts, 4,000 bales; gross georgts, 43,341 bales; exports to Great Britain, 9,004 bales; to France, S25 bales; to the Continent, 4,831 bales; forwarded, 26,810 bales; sales, 3,763 bales; spinners, 2,163 bales; rotal to-day; Net receipts, 29,882 bales; exports to Great Britain, 21,575 bales; to France, 4,850 bales; to the Continent, 6,190 bales; stock, 1,002,558 bales; exports to Great Britain, 72,572 bales; to France, 21,148 bales; to the Continent, 46,245 bales. Total since September 1st: Net receipts, 8,180,901 bales; exports to Great Britain, 1,236,484 bales; to France, 293,3024 bales; to the Continent, 45,245 bales; to the Continent, 5,1457, 4,156. nce, 203,024 bales; to the Continent,

es, 636,455 bales; Mobile, 118,865 bales; annah, 507,680 bales; Charleston, 241,-bales; Wilmington, 128,912 bales; Nor-

Neg: low middling, 815; good ordi-814; weekly receipts, 1,776 bales; ents, 604 bales; spinners, 943 bales; 1,547 bales; stock 1862, 5,885 bales, COLUMBU'S, MISS., Dec. 16.—Cotton pulet: middling, 9%; low middling, 9%; veckly receipts, 1,000 bales; shipments, 163 bales; sales, 1,163 bales; stock, 5,600

SUFAULA, ALA., Dec. 16.-Cotton firm; idding 94; weekly receipts, 674 bales; apparents, 660 bales; stock, 4,428 bales, RRENHAM. Dec. 16.—Weekly receipts, bales; shipments, 1,200 bales; stock, GREENVILLE, Dec. 16.—Weekly re-

pts, 1.627 bales; shipments, 1.223 bales; ek, 5.218 bales, LBANY, Dec. 16.—Weekly receipts. bules; shipments, 61 bales; stock, 5,554

VICKSBURG, Dec. 16.-Weekly receipts, 182 bales; shipments, 1,302 bales; stock,

(ASA balos, QOIJUMBUS, GA., Dec. 16.—Cotton en; middling, 9%; low middling, 8%; and ordinary, 8; weekly receipts, 2,488 has; shipments, 1,185 bales; sales, 1,380 stock, 1892 15,814 bales, 1891 18,708

VELASCO, Dec. 16 .- Stock, 6.709 bales; VELANCO, Dec. 19.—Stock, 6.409 bales; veckly net and gross receipts, 3.081 bales.
ATLANTA, Dec. 16.—Cotton firm; midling, 9.7-16; weekly receipts, 5.765 bales; hipments, 5.264 bales; stock, 9.998 bales, CHARLOTTE, Dec. 16.—Cotton firm; middling, 9%; weekly receipts, 932 bales; hipments, 1.284 bales; stock, 400 bales.

FELING, AVA. Dec. 16.—Cotton firm; SELMA, AlA., Dec. 16 .- Cotton firm;

SELMA, Al.A., Dec. 10.—Cotton firm; midding, 6%; weekly receipts, 1,546 bales; slipments, 1,556 bales; stock, 1892 8,856 bales, 1891 14,265 bales.

ROME, G.A., Dec. 16.—Weekly receipts, 2,876 bales; shipments, 2,424 bales; stock (correct), 7,125 bales.

MONTGOMERY, Al.A., Dec. 16.—Cotton baseds; shoulder, 615, Low middling, 615. stendy; middling, 914; low middling, 914; weekly receipts, 4,549 bales; shipments, 4,880 bales; stock, 1892

DALLAS, TEX., Dec. 16. Weekly recipts, 516 bales; shipments, 1,475 bales; bales; slipments, GSS bales; stock, BALTIMORE, Dec. 16.-Gress receipts,

(402 bules; exports to Great Britain, 9,931 ales; to France, 105 bales; to the Contient, 1,314 bales. BOSTON, Dec. 16.—Weekly net receipts, 5,519 bales; gross receipts, 2,144 bales; gross receipts, 2,144 bales; grorts to Great Britain, 5 bales.

PORTLAND, Dec. 16.—Weekly receipts, 1967 bales. 1,636 bales; exports Constwise, 1,636 bales; *RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 16.—Cotton firm; midding, D%; weekly receipts, 898 bales; shipments, 398 bales; stock (corrected),

NEWBERRY, Dec. 16 .- Cotton steady; niddling, 9%; low middling, 8%; weekly sceipts, 900 bales; shipments, 6,501 bales;

receipts, 900 bales; shipments, 6,501 bales; stoel corrected, 650 bales.
WEST POINT, Dec. 16.—Net and gross receipts, 855 bales; stock, 16,336 bales; weekly and gross receipts, 6,559 bales; exports to Great Britain, 4,321 bales.
LOUISVILLE, Dec. 16.—Weekly receipts, 255 bales; shipments for spinners, 137 bales; sales, 141 bales; stock, 292 bales.
GOORLINGIA. Dec. 16.—Cotton aready. QOLUMBIA, Dec. 16.—Cotton steady; middleg, 90/2; weekly receipts, 1,197 bales; shipments, 1,197 bales; sales, 1,197 bales;

stock, 1 bale.

NATCHEZ, Dec. 16.—Cotton firm; midding, 94; weekly receipts, 2,127 bales; shipments, 824 bales; sales, 1,120 bales; stock, 11.472 bales.
ATHENS, Dec. 16.—Middling, 9½: week-ly receipts, 1,400 bales; shipments, 500 bales; spinners, 100 bales; stock, 11,531

CINCINNATI, Dec. 16.-Weekly net and gross receipts, 12,975 bales; shipments, 13,832 bales; spinners, 300 bales; sales, ST. LOUIS, Dec. 16.-Weekly net re-

gross receipts, 45,186 bales; experts to Great Britain, 14,902 bales; to the Continent, 12,409 bales; Constwise, 17,757 bales; sales, 7,428 bales; spinners, 119 bales.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.—Weekly net PHILADE

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.-Weekly net receipts, 21,014 bales; exports Coastwise, 7,202 bales; sales, 5,250 bales.
BRUNSWICK, GA., Dec. 16.—Weekly receipts 3,909 bales, exports to Creat Ref. ceipts, 3,908 bales; exports to Great Britain, 508 bales.

MACON, Dec. 16.—Cotton steady and in

MACON, Dec. 16.—Cotton steady and in good demand; middling, 9%; low middling, 9%; good ordinary, 9; weekly receipts, 1,9%2 bales; shipments, 1,472 bales; sales, 1,346 bales; stock (corrected), 1892 7,328 bales, 1891 7,395 bales.

HOUSTON, Dec. 16.—Weekly net and gross receipts, 40,238 bales; shipments, 43,975 bales; sales, 6,595 bales.

MOBILE, Dec. 16.—Weekly net and gross receipts, 2,239 bales; exports Coastwise.

receipts, 3,239 bales; exports Coastwise, 6,800 bales; sales, 150 bales. MEMPHIS, Dec. 16.—Weekly net re-ceipts, 20,393 bales; gross receipts, 22,072 bales; shipments, 161,626 bales; sales,

AUGUSTA. Dec. 16.-Weekly receipts, 5.888 bales; shipments, 3,945 bales; sales,

4,320 bales.

CHARLESTON, Dec. 16.—Weekly net and gross receipts, 7,445 bales; exports Coastwise, 435 bales; sales, 2,200 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 16.—Weekly net receipts, 86,129 bales; gross receipts, 89,745 bales; exports to Great Britain, 18,821 bales; to France, 19,258 bales; to the Coastwick, 19,255 bales; 10, 100 bales. tinent, 7,160 bales; Coastwise, 19,825 bales; sales, 27,900 bales.

NEWPORT NEWS, Dec. 16.—Stock.

2.116 bales.
GALVESTON, Dec. 16.—Cotton firm;
middling, 9 9-16; net receipts, 5,196 bales;
sales, 1,676 bales; stock, 151,496 bales;
Great Britain, 9,600 bales; Coastwise, 4,534

NORFOLK, Dec. 16 .- Cotton steady; middling, 9%; net receipts, 1,068 bales; sales, 426 bales; stock, 42,437 bales; Coastwise,

BALTIMORE, Dec. 16 .- Cotton nominal; middling, 6%; stock, 20,587 bales.

BOSTON, Dec. 16.—Cotton quiet; middling, 9 13-16; net receipts, 941 bales; gross receipts, 7,401 bales; Great Britain, 1,744 bales. WILMINGTON, Dec. 16.-Cotton firm:

middling, 9%; net receipts, 612 bales; stock, 21,010 bales; Coastwise, 129 bales; PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.-Cotton firm; middling, 10%; net recelpts, 622 bales; stock, 14,605 bales; Great Britain, 272

middling, 9½; net receipts, 2.735 bales; sales, 1,650 bales; stock, 14,157 bales; Coastwise, 121 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 16.—Cotton dull; middling, 9 11.6; pet receipts, 9.702 bales.

middling, 9 11-16; net receipts, 9,703 bales; gress receipts, 10,305 bales; sales, 4,000 bales; stock, 279,998 bales; Great Britain, 9,651 bales; Coastwise, 7,461 bales; Continent, 496 bales.

MOBILE, Dec. 16.—Cotton firm; middling, 64; net receipts, 1,876 bales; sales, 569 bales; stock, 39,705 bales; Coastwise,

1,223 bales.

MEMPHIS, Dec. 16.—Cotton firm; middling, 9 13-16; net receipts, 2,868 bales; gross receipts, 2,866 bales; sales, 4,500 bales; stock, 110,016 bales.

AUGUSIZA, Dec. 16.—Cotton steady: middling, 0 s; net receipts, 1,312 bales; sales (actual), 534 bales; stock, 44,563 bales.

CHARLESTON, Dec. 16.-Cotton firm; CHARLESTON, Dec. 16.—Cotton inm; middling, 9%; net receipts, 1,532 bales; sales, 590 bales; stock, 58,665 bales. CINCINNATI, Dec. 16.—Cotton steady; middling, 10; net receipts, 1,535 bales; sales, 60 bales; stock, 10,882 bales. LOUISVILLE, (Dec. 16.—Cotton quiet; ST. LOUIS. Dec. 16.—Cotton firm; mid-

dling, 9%; net receipts, 1.786 bales; gross receipts, 3.592 bales; sales, 400 bales; receipts, 3.592 bales; sales, 400 bales; stock 64.207 bales.
HOUSTON, Dec. 16.—Cotton firm; middling, 9 3-16; net receipts, 5,111 bales; sales, 2,594 bales; stock, 37,921 bales.

New York, 53,365 bales; Beston, 37,019 bales; Newport News, 5,589 bales; Philadelphia, 10,468 bales; West Point, Va., 150,728 bales; Brunswick, 65,079 bales; Velasco, 16,105 bales; Pensacola, 7,610 ales, Total, 3,196,423 bales; Pensacola, 7,610 ales, Total, 3,196,423 bales; Beston, 16,105 bales; Pensacola, 7,610 bales, Total, 3,196,423 bales, Beston, 16,105 bales; Pensacola, 7,610 bales, Total, 3,196,423 bales, 16,105 bales; Pensacola, 7,610 bales, Total, 3,196,423 bales, 16,105 bales; Pensacola, 16,105 bales, 16,105 bales; Pensacola, 16,105 bales; Pensacola, 16,105 bales; Bales, 16,105 bal beliveries at to-day's clearing, 700 bales \$1.00.

new dockets.

2 P. M.—American middling, fair, 5 11-16; good middling, 5%; middling, 54; low middling, 5%; good ordinary, 5; ordinary, 4 13-16; the sales of the day included 5,600 bales American. Futures quiet but steady American middling, low middling clause, December, 5 13-64-05 14-64; December-Janbecchier, 5 13-6465 14-64; January-February, 5 13-6465 14-64; February-March, 5 16-64 65 17-64; March-April delivery, 5 19-64, 65 17-64; March-April delivery, 5 19-64, buyers; April-May delivery, 5 21-64@5 22-64; May-June delivery, 5 24-64, sellers; June-July, 5 21-64@5 22-64; June-July, 5 26-64, buyers; (July-August delivery, 5 23-64@

4 P. M.-Cotton futures closed steady American middling, low middling clause December, 5 12-64, buyers; December-Janu becember, 5 12-64, buyers; February, 5 13-64, buyers; February-March delivery, 5 15-64@ 5 16-64: March-April, 5 18-64, buyers; April-May, 5 20-64@5 21-64; May-June, 5 23-64, sellers; June-July, 5 25-64, buyers;

July-August, 5 27-64, buyers. NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET. NEW YORK, Dec. 16.-Flour closed with

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Flour closed with more doing and prices steady; fine grades of spring, \$1.65@1.55; do. winter, \$1.75@2.00; superfine spring, \$1.75@2.00; do. winter, \$1.85@2.15; extra No. 2 spring, \$1.85@2.20; do. winter, \$2.10@4.25; extra No. 1 spring, \$2.10@4.25; do. winter, \$2.25@2.75; eity milis extra, \$4.25. Southern flour quiet; straight, \$3.50@3.75.

Wheat—Options opened steady and continued steady throughout the morning on a moderate volume of business, but about noon the market suddenly weakened on local Hquidations. Throughout the afternoon the market was weak and nervous. The closing prices were 1 to 2c. lower. Spot lots closed easier; spot sales: No. 2 red winter, 75½@76%c; December, 74%c; January, 75½c; February, 76%c; March, 78c; May, 80%c.

Corn—Options opened weak and continued weak all day on a mederate selling,

ed weak all day on a moderate selling, tinued weak all day on a moderate selling, closing 1/61%c. lower. Spot lots closed lower; spot sales: No. 2 mixed, 52c.; December, 50%c.; January, 51c.; February, 51%c.; March, 52%c.; May, 52%c.

Oats—Options were dull and featureless and prices closed Mc. lower. Spot lots closed dull and irregular; spot sales: No. 2 white, 41%c.; No. 3 do., 404/64/64%c.; No. 2 mixed, 36%c330%c.; No. 2 mixed, December, 30%c.; January, 37%c.; February, 87%c.; May, 30%c.

ary, 37%c.; May, 30%c.
Pork dull but steady; old mess, \$14.50@
14.75; new mess, \$15.50@16.00.
Land fairly active and firm: December, \$10.25; January, \$10.25; March, \$10.10; May, \$10.08.

Sugar-Haw firm; 89-test Muscovado, Sugar-Haw lirm; 85-test Adscordad, 3c.; 96-test centrifugal, 3%c. Refined quiet and unchanged; cut-loaf and crushed, 5.31 65-56; granulated, 4.81@5c. for extra fine; cubes, 4.81@5c.; mould A, 4.95@5%c.; confectioners' A, 4.50@4%c.
Coffee—Spot lots steady; fair Rio cargoes, 10%@16%c. Futures closed firm and higher; December, \$15.95; January, \$15.00; February, \$15.40; March, \$15.30; April, \$15.10; May, \$15.00.
Phys line certificates dull; sales, 5,000

\$15.10; May, \$15.00.
Pije line certificates dull; sales, 5,000 barnels. At Consolidated Exchange January opened at 53; highest, 53; lowest, 53; Nival Stores-Spirits turpentine selling

moderately at 31@314c.
Resin quiet; strained quoted at \$1.274; good do., \$1.324. BALTIMORE.

ALTIMORE, MD., Dec. 16.—Flour unauged; receipts, 9,819 barrels; shipnis. 808 barrels.

yheat—Southern quiet and steady; Westactive and lower; receipts, 10,575
nels Southern and 3,763 bushels Westshipments, 122,400 bushels; stock,
1,220 bushels; No. 2 red spot and Deiber, 73%273%c.; steamer No. 2, 69c.
Fultz, 71275c.; longberry, 73276c.;
uary, 74%274%c.; May, 70%270%c.
car.—Southern active; Western dull; reto, 50,788 bushels Southern and 4,221
nels Western; shipments, 190 bushels;
260,683 tushels; spot mixed, 47%2

ments, 5,197 bushels; stock, 77,485 bushels; No. 2 white, 42644c.; others unchanged. Rye dull: receipts, 4,133 bushels; ship-ments, 3,022 bushels; stock, 138,830 bush-els; No. 2 spot, 59c. asked. Hay firm and unchanged. Grain freights dull and unchanged. Butter firm and unchanged. Eggs steady and unchanged. Coffee quiet; No. 7, 1674c.

CHICAGO. CHICAGO, H.L., Dec. 16.—The flour market is dull; hard wheat, patent, was quotable at \$3.50@4.15 in wood; soft wheat, patent, \$3.5063.80; hard wheat, bakers', \$2.0062.20 in sacks; soft wheat, bakers', \$2.00@2.20; red dog. \$1.35@1.40 in sacks. Wheat closed 1%c. lower than last night.

Wheat closed 1%c. Icwer than last night. The market first weakened on predictions of a continuation of the present heavy receipts in the Northwest, and then became almost panicky when the fact of a money squeeze in Wall street became known; No. 2 spring. 701/4711%c.

Corn sympathized with very pronounced weakness in wheat and closed 1/471%c lower; No. 2 in store, 42c.

Outs followed corn and wheat, closing 1/471%c. lower; No. 2, 311%c.

Receipts—Wheat, 163 cars; corn, 257; oats, 125. oats, 125. Provisions were strong early, in sympathy

with the better prices for hogs, but weakened near the close, stomp in wheat.

Lard closed 2½c, lower and ribs 7½c, lower, but pork is unchanged.

Whisky steady at \$1.30.

Wheat— Opening, Highest, Closing, 71 79½

Wheat- Opening. H 7214 December January 47% July Lard-December 9.97
May 9.85 10.0715

December — 8.50 8.50 8.40 May 8.62½ 8.62½ 8.62½ 8.52½ ST. LOUIS. ST. LOUIS, MO., Dec. 16.-Flour dull and weak; putent, \$3.00@3.10; fancy, \$2.50 @2.60; choice, \$2.15@2.25; family, \$1.90@ Wheat lower; December, 654/c.; January, 664/c.; May, 73c, bid; July, 724/c, bid. Corn firm and lower; December, 384/c.; January, 384/c.; February, 184/c.; May, 43c, bid.

Onts lower; May, 34½c, bid. Eggs lower and duil. Butter slow; creamery, 29c.

Pork—Standard mess, \$15.50.
Lard—Prime steam, \$9.75.
Dry Salted Meats—Shoulders, \$7.50; longs and clear ribs, \$8.40 shorts, \$8.55.
Bacon—Boxed shoulders, \$8.12½; longs and clear ribs, \$9.50; shorts, \$10.00,

LIVE STOCK MARKET. UNION STOCK YARDS, ILL., Dec. 16,-UNION STOCK 1ARDS, ILL, Dec. 16.— Cattle—Receipts. 8,000; common to extra sters, \$2.85\(\tilde{0}\).00; stockers and feeders, \$1.75\(\tilde{0}\).350; cows and bulls, \$1.00\(\tilde{0}\).25. Hogs—Receipts, 27,000; heavy, \$6.25\(\tilde{0}\). Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; poor to choice, \$3.50\(\tilde{0}\).4.75; lambs, \$3.75\(\tilde{0}\).75.

CINCINNATL CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 16.—Pork—Regular, \$14.50; family, \$16.25.

Lard—Kettle dried, 101/2/101/c. Bacon-Short clear sides, 10c. Whisky-Sales of 1,028 barrels on basis

WILMINGTON. WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 16.—Spirits turpentine steady at 271/c.
Rosin firm; strained, 05c.; good strained,

Tar steady at \$1.00. Grude Sturpentine steady; hard, \$1.00; yellow dip and virgin, \$1.70.

CHARLESTON. CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 16.-Turpentine firm at 27%c.
Rosin firm at \$1.00 for good strained.

SUB-TREASURY REPORT. NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Receipts, \$3,135,-286; payments, \$4,632,738. Balances—Currency, \$5,145,598; certificates, \$15,548,329; coln, \$91,571,464. Total, \$113,265,392.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE,

MINIATURE ALMANAC, DEC. 17, 1892. HIGH TIDE. Morning 9:44 Evening 8:20

LAMBERT'S POINT, DEC. 16, 1802. COALED. Steamship Winchester, from Norfolk for Steamship Cycle, from Galveston for

ARRIVED. Barge Mary Whitridge, Boston, LOADED.

Barge Mary Whitridge, Boston. PORT OF WEST POINT, DEC. 16, 1802.

ARRIVED. Steamship Dorchester, Howe, Baltimore, passengers and general cargo.
Steamship Danville, Bennett, Baltimore, passengers and general cargo.

SAILED. Steamship Dorchester. Howe, Boston via Norfolk, passengers and general cargo. Steamship Danville, Bennett, Baltimore, passengers and general cargo.

The New Columbian Coins. PHILADELPHIA, PA., Dec. 16.—The first sixty thousand of the new Columbia souvenir half dollars were shipped this morning from the United States mint morning from the United States mint in this city. The first delivery of ten thousand coins left on the \$50 express, for New York city, in the possession of John F. Shriver, representing Colonel Eliot F. Shepard. The remaining fifty thousand, including the "10,000 beauty" and three other valuable pieces, were placed in the hands of the United States Express Company, consigned to the sub-Treasury at Chicago.

Nelson P. Evans Sentenced. PHILADELPHIA, PA., Dec. 15.—Nelson F. Evans indicted for misapplying funds of the Spring Garden National Bank, of which he was director, has been sentenced to pay a fine of \$200 and serve five years in the Eastern penitentiary.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. The Board of Directors of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company have declared a dividend of 3½ per cent. on the common capital stock and dividend obligations of the company, payable on the 2d of January, 1893, to all holders of record on the 20th of December, 1892, after which date the books of transfer will be closed until January 2, 1893.

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Treasurer's Office of
Manchester, Va., Dec. 9, 1892.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
the CITY OF MANCHESTER 6 PER
CENT. BONDS, dated January 1, 1882,
redeemable at the pleasure of the city
after ten years, are hereby called, and
will be paid on and after January 1, 183, on
presentation at the Merchants' National
Bank, Richmond, Va. Interest will cease
on same January 1, 1833.
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1101 MAIN STREET, RICHMOND, VA. We call attention to the above notice, and have for sale \$3,700 CITY OF MAN-CHESTER 5 PER CENT. BONDS at 98, issued to redeem like amount of Man-chester 6 per cent. bonds. del0-t jal

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City Auditor's Office,
Richmond, Va., Dec. 5, 1892.

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MILES TURPIN,
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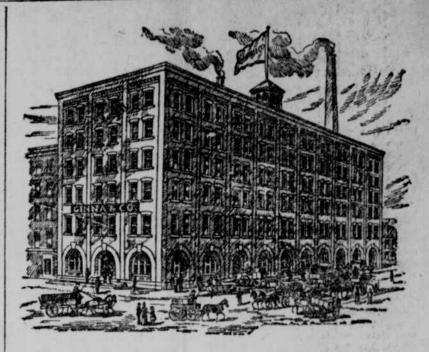
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Office COLLECTOR OF CITY TAXES, CITY HALL,

RICHMOND, VA., December 1, 1892.

NOTICE TAXPAYERS

The RESIDUE of City Taxes for 1892 are NOW DUE AND PAYABLE at this office during this month. A penalty of 5 per | cent. will be added to all bills

Remaining Unpaid December 31st.

Every male twenty-one years of age and every person keeping house or dong business in the city is assessed for personal taxes, and those who have not paid any city taxes during the year will please call and settle so as to avoid being posted as delinquent.
PAVING, PIPE and SEWER CONNECTION BILLS are also due and will have to be declared delinquent if not

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